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In re Application of  
Chris Scotto, Greg Boyer, Robert Hope,  
Maureen Krezmien and Andrew Hopkins  
Application No. 09/938,328  
Filed: August 23, 2001  
Attorney Docket Number: 426882000600  
Title of Invention: METHOD FOR GUIDING A  
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DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b), filed July 21, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

This above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a response to the Decision on Petition which dismissed petitioner's request for Rule 47 status. The Decision on Petition was mailed on July 23, 2002 and set an extendable two month period for reply. No extensions of time were obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136(a). Accordingly, this application became abandoned on September 24, 2002. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on March 17, 2003.

The requirements for a grantable petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b) have been met.<sup>1</sup>  
This petition is hereby Granted.

Deposit account no. 03-1952 has been charged the \$1300.00 petition fee.

The address given on the petition differs from the address of record. If appropriate, a change of address should be filed in accordance with MPEP 601.03. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address given on the petition. However, the Office will mail all future correspondence solely to the address of record.

This application is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing of the application.

<sup>1</sup>Petitioner has obtained a fully executed declaration.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter should be directed to the undersigned at  
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ON RENEWED PETITION

This is in response to the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a), filed July 21, 2003.

In view of the joinder of the inventor, further consideration under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is not necessary and the petition is considered to be moot. This application does not have any Rule 1.47(a) status and no such status should appear on the file wrapper. This application need not be returned to this Office for further consideration under 37 CFR 1.47(a).

The address given on the petition differs from the address of record. If appropriate, a change of address should be filed in accordance with MPEP 601.03. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address given on the petition. However, the Office will mail all future correspondence solely to the address of record.

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